TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1145 - HB 1268

April 5, 2021

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Increases the minimum probation period, from 30 to 40 days, that the Department of Human Services (DHS) is authorized to place on a licensed child care agency due to non-compliance with the laws or regulations governing its operation.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (006241): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Requires DCS to notify the appropriate court that a foster parent from a kinship placement violated a court order by allowing a child to visit the child's parent within 30 calendar days of gaining knowledge of the violation.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

 Based on information provided by DCS, the Department can meet the requirements of the proposed legislation utilizing existing resources; any increase in state expenditures is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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